

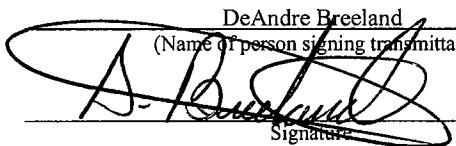
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : Hidetoshi Ichioka, et al.  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on January 26, 2007, having a  
three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on April 26, 2007, please  
amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** begins on page 3 of this paper, and include a listing of claims.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 18 of this paper.